FISCAL NOTE

HJR 862

April 23, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Directs the Tennessee Law Enforcement Advisory Council to study and evaluate issues relevant to the electronic recording of custodial interrogations of defendants in criminal cases. Outlines issues to be included in the study and groups to be represented in an advisory capacity. Requires the Council to report its interim findings to the House Judiciary Committee at meetings held in the Fall of 2002 and its final report by the second legislative day of the 103rd General Assembly in January 2003.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate assumes the Council and the advisory groups will experience a not significant increase in the expenditures for the costs associated with the required study. The study can be conducted within the established mandate of the Council, which is to monitor and evaluate the status of technological advancements and related issues to law enforcement.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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